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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

**GERALD S. PULLMAN**

Application No.: 10/076,633

Filed: February 19, 2002

For: Methods for Increasing Conifer  
Somatic Embryo Initiation,  
Capture and Multiplication

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) Group Art Unit: 1661  
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) Examiner: Wendy C. Haas  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated December 3, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendment to the Inventors** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**THE INVENTORS**

Due to the September 2, 2003 election of Group VIII, claims 21, 24 and 49, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b), please remove Gary F. Peter as co-inventor of this application. Gerald S. Pullman remains as the sole and proper inventor for this application.